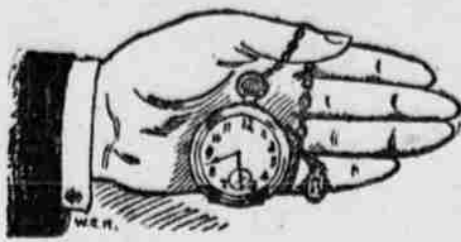


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HOW MUCH AM I BID?

That's just how I feel about my present jewelry stock. How much am I bid on any article in my store? I feel I can better afford to take your price, rather than insist upon getting mine during the next 30 days.

While my holiday trade was excellent, I have a surplus stock of fine goods that I cannot afford to carry into the coming spring. A few weeks will end these prices.

A. E. Anderson

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

Graduate of Chicago Ophthalmic College.

School Books,

Tablets

—AND—

School Supplies,

—AT—

J. G. Haebler's.

It isn't the material that goes into your repaired watch that results in a perfect job, it is the know how.

that does the business, any bungler can buy the fine kinds of material that I use in repairing; but skill is the most valuable material that can be used in watch repairing; and the bungler can't buy it. I sell my skill for what it is worth and it will cost you less than bungling at lower prices.

F. W. HATES,
Jeweler and Optician.
West side of square.

Fair Prices,
Best Material and Workmanship,
C. B. BETTS, Decorator.

FOR SALE.

MY BLACKSMITH SHOP, BOX 40.
New wood shop in back part, all floor; front floor with 2-inch plank; also my tools and outfit. Everything complete and new; good trade; reason for selling poor health. Will sell for cash or bankable notes. For particulars, inquire of or address **W. M. DAVIS,** P. O. Box 927, Broken Bow, Nebr.

PENN & DORRIS,
BLACKSMITHS.

All kinds of work in our line done promptly and in first-class order. Red Shop on the corner, west of the base house. Give us a trial.

MARKET REPORT.

Wheat	85
Barley	23
Oats	22
Corn	25
Rye	30
Butter	30
Eggs	20
Potatoes	60
Onions	11
Chickens	8
Hogs	4.20
Cows	2.75
Steers	2.50
Turkeys	50
Straw	10c
Hay	1.00

Business Pointers.

Take your eggs to the Racket Store.

Lubricating oils of all kinds at Wilkins' drug store.

Money to loan on choice farms, d20 St. **W. B. EASTHAM.**

Dr. T. W. Bass, dentist, Broken Bow.

Cosmopolitan patterns ten cents. No more. **SNYDER BROS.**

3,000 pounds of Xmas candy just received at Colom's Grocery.

Sealing wax good for canning purposes at Wilkins' drug store.

Old iron not wanted after Dec 27. **Dierks Lumber & Coal Co.**

Ice cream soda 5 cents a glass at Wilkins' drug store.

Cannon City coal at Dierks Lumber Co.

Pepsin Gum, two packages for a nickel at **WILKINS' PHARMACY.**

Go to Mike Seaton's restaurant for the best lunch and confectionery in town.

Write Hayden Bros., Omaha. Wholesale Supply House for prices and samples.—28 1/2 yr.

Best stock farm in Custer county for sale, at \$8 00 per acre. **JESSE GANDY.**

Abstracts compiled promptly and accurately by the Broken Bow Abstract Co. **E. ROYSE, Abstracter.**

Get my prices on Christmas candy and nuts for your Christmas tree. **A. A. COLLOM.**

Two good quarters of land for sale cheap, eight miles south of town d6 tf. **A. T. SEYBOLT.**

Call on or write Broken Bow Abstract Co. when in need of an abstract of title. **E. ROYSE, Abstracter.**

Ladies interested in the Viavi home treatment should consult Mrs. Ed. Royse at her home. 11 1 tf.

For Sale.
Fifteen nice thrifty pigs. Call on d12 tf. **DR. C. PICKETT.**

A full line of holiday goods, such as toys, photo albums, toilet sets, drums and hand sleds at the Racket Store.

For Sale.
Twenty acres of well improved land within a mile of Broken Bow for \$700. Inquire at this office.

The Racket Store has the finest line of chinaware, in the city, at prices away below competition. Call and get our prices.

Notice to Hunters.
Parties are forbidden to hunt on my premises and land under my control, under penalty of the law. d6-1m **WM. FRANKLIN.**

For Sale.—A one story cottage with six large rooms, pleasant yard, and surroundings. Price \$900. Call on L. J. Gandy or at this office. 7 19tf

Chickens For Sale.
Very fine Blue Barred Plymouth Rock chickens for sale, 2 miles west of city. **W. M. VANNICE.** d20 3m

Bang's galleries at Broken Bow and Ansley, are both open all the time, cabinets at \$2.00 and \$2.50, and fine crayon pictures cheap. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Farms for sale and lands for rent. Now is the time to get a farm cheap, as the cheap farms are all going, and prices are advancing rapidly. **J. G. BRENNER.**

Auctioneer.
Sales cried in Custer and adjoining counties. Terms reasonable. **JUD KAY.**

Broken Bow Nebr.
W. H. Farrer has opened up a lunch counter in the building east of Ledwith's law office. Oysters served in first class order. Meals or lunch served from 6, a. m. to 11 p. m. Patronage solicited.

For Sale or Trade.
A span of horses, harness, a good Moline wagon, riding cultivator, "The Boy," a walking lister, with the latest attached drills. Will sell or trade for hogs or cattle. **HENRY MOORE.**

One and a half miles northeast of Broken Bow, Nebr. d6-4w

Local Mention.

Job printing at this office.

Small pex is reported at Ansley, Merna and Anselmo.

E D Glaze went to Holdredge last Saturday morning.

The city council is building a pest house a mile south west of the city.

W. D. Blackwell and wife are taking a few days vacation at Omaha this week.

A. T. Seybolt accompanied his mother to Lincoln Saturday, where he will visit for a few days.

Miner Taylor was among those who took advantage of the holiday rates to make a trip east Saturday morning.

C. H. and J. D. Steers, of Iowa Falls, arrived in the city last week on a visit with their mother Mrs. H. Walton.

Edwin and Arthur Myers, and Roscoe Baldwin are at home this week from Lincoln, where they are attending the State University.

It is an ill wind that blows no body good. The doctors have reaped a rich harvest in the past two weeks in vaccinating the many who apply.

V. C. Talbot and wife, of Dunning came down the first of the week from their ranch to spend Christmas with their relatives and friends of this vicinity.

Doc Trout of Merna, who had his jury trial Monday, before Judge Armour, on the charge of disturbing a religious meeting at Merna recently, was found not guilty.

Miss Mary Barrett, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Nite McComas the fore part of the week, returned to her home in Broken Bow yesterday.—Merna Sun.

B. O. Sweazy, of Clarinda Iowa, was in the city last week looking after his hotel, the Commercial. While here he leased the hotel for another year to C H Kennedy.

Prof. R. D. Pickett, of Central City, was a friendly caller today. He and his wife are up spending their vacation with Mrs. Pickett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Hilton of Weisheit.

The fair held by the Episcopal church on the 12th and 13th of this month, was quite a success financially. The receipts for the two meals and sale of fancy articles the ladies had prepared amounted to \$140.

The Custer Co. Teachers Association met at the school house in Merna last Saturday and a full attendance is reported. The program was an unusually good one and was appreciated by all. Miss Henne presided at the meeting.—Merna Sun.

New Line of Buggies, Surreys, Spring Wagons and Farm Wagons.
G. W. Apple.

A genuine case of small pox appeared in the city Christmas. The city council took prompt action in establishing a strict quarantine to prevent it from spreading. The patient is Ray Gadd, who recently returned from Alliance. He has it in a very mild form.

A fortnight ago a very serious accident happened to a Mr. Birch, of Cliff table. He was handling a gun in some way when it exploded, injuring his face terribly and putting out one eye. He refused to secure medical aid for it till Saturday, when he came in and had Dr. Robinson dress his wounds.—Arnold items in Callaway Courier.

The several Sunday schools of the city appropriately observed Christmas eve, by providing entertainment for the little folks. The Baptist had a sleigh instead of the tree, and the exercises consisted of recitations, songs and a cantata entitled: "Who is Santa Claus." The M.E. church had a manger instead of a tree.

T. A. Miller, editor of the Merna Sun was a friendly caller at this office yesterday. He expects to dispose of his business soon and move back to Omaha, where he will accept a position as compositor in one of the city offices. Parties wishing to engage in the news paper business can secure a plant cheap by seeing Mr. Miller before he sells.

Judge Holcomb of Lincoln is in the city visiting, with friends and relatives.

Leslie McWilliams, foreman of a B & M. bridge gang of Edgmont is at home spending the holidays with relatives.

J. N. Peale and Chas. Bushnell have opened up a grocery store in the room in the Realty block recently vacated by Snyder Bros.

Alex Pernie, of Weisheit, was a welcome caller at this office Monday. He availed himself of the opportunity of our clubbing list prices.

John H. Hutchinson, who lives north of town received the sad news from his old home in Iowa that his mother's house was burned, and his mother, brother and sister were burned to death last week.

George Troyer, and Miss Maude McCandless were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on Cliff table, on Wednesday of last week, Rev. Ransom, of this place officiating.—Callaway Courier

J. J. Douglas, post master at Callaway, who submitted to a surgical operation on his arm recently, by having part of the bone removed, we are pleased to hear is gaining strength, and his chances for recovery are flattering.

The Callaway Courier is authority for the statement, that Governor Poynter has revoked the requisition granted the Kansas Sheriff for the arrest and removal of J. H. Worley, who was wanted in the Sunflower state, on the charge of rape. We understand that Worley has since married one of Custer county's girls.

At the mid week meeting of the M. E. church last week, the attendance was large, especially in the evening, when Bishop McCabe was advertised to speak. The object of the meeting was to rally their forces, and provide means for clearing the indebtedness of the church. In this they were quite successful, over \$1500.00 was pledged.

Fred Baisch, oldest son of J. S. Baisch, who for the past three years has been employed in J. G. Haebler's drug store, has accepted a position in George Ereisheimer's drug store at Missoula Montana, on a salary of \$50 per month. Mr. Ereisheimer was formerly a resident of this city and was engaged in the drug business with Mr. Haebler. Fred is one of Broken Bow's most estimable young men, strictly moral, honest and temperate and it is with pleasure the REPUBLICAN notes his promotion. Fred's success is the result of his faithfulness and should be a lesson to other Broken Bow boys. He will leave Saturday eve.

M B A.
Regular meeting of the M. B. A. will not be held Friday owing to the city quarantine.

A Cure For Small Pox.
"A correspondent of the Liverpool Mercury writes: I am willing to risk my reputation as a public man if, the worst case of small pox cannot be effectually cured in three days simply by cream of tartar, this is the sure and never failing remedy. One ounce of cream of tartar dissolved in a pint of boiling water, to be drunk when cold, at short intervals. It can be taken at any time and is a preventive as well as a curative. It is known to have cured in thousands of cases without a failure. It never leaves a mark, never causes blindness and always prevents tedious lingering."

Prof. J. E. Adamson has greatly simplified the work in the telephone office of the city, by placing in it a power generator, which removes the necessity of turning the wheel to ring the call bell for patrons. It not only lessens the work of the operator, but enables her to render much more efficient service. At best the operator at the central has very tedious and constant employment, and the new attachment greatly aids her in the performance of her work. The power generator was put in last Friday night. The machinery is enclosed in a fine glass case, to protect from dust. Prof. Adamson's efforts to render the best possible service to the patrons of his telephone system, is commendable, as he spares neither pains nor expense when he sees where, by an additional expense, he can better the service. This is clear gain to the public, as he does not increase his rates of toll.

DR. PRIGES' CREAM Baking Powder

In Use the most Economical

Greater in leavening strength, a spoonful raises more dough, or goes further.

Working uniformly and perfectly, it makes the bread and cake always light and beautiful, and there is never a waste of good flour, sugar, butter and eggs.

With finer food and a saving of money comes the saving of the health of the family, and that is the greatest economy of all.

PRIGES BAKING POWDER CO., CHICAGO.

NOTE.—Many mixtures, made in imitation of baking powders, are upon the market. They are sold cheap, but are dear at any price, because they contain alum, a corrosive poison.

Married.

CUMMINS-BETTS.—At the residence of the bride's parents, in Berwyn, Custer county, Nebr., Dec. 26th, 1900, by Rev. E. Bells, Mr. Herbert A. Cummins, of Ansley, and Miss Ada A. Betts, of Berwyn.

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents, the gift of her many admiring friends, and in common with them, we heartily wish them a long and prosperous voyage on the ocean of life.

ALLER-BISHOP.—At the residence of the officiating minister, near Berwyn, Custer county, December 26th, 1900, by Rev. E. Bells, Mr. Edward L. Aller and Miss Bessie Bishop, both of Kingston, Nebr.

The groom is the son of Mrs. John Moore, formerly of Custer county, but now of Oklahoma. He is a pushing, energetic young farmer, and with his accomplished wife will rent a farm near Kingston. Our prayers and best wishes go with them.

LOCH-PERRY.—At the residence of the bride's parents, three miles east of Merna, Custer county, Nebr., December 26th, 1900, Mr. George W. Loch, of Murray, Iowa, and Miss Sarah D. Perry, of Merna, Nebr., Rev. E. W. Richards officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Perry, highly respected citizens near Merna. She is a most estimable young lady, and enjoys the esteem of a large circle of young friends.

The groom is a stranger to us, and we know nothing personally about him except that he is a young man of splendid reputation, and lives near Murray, Iowa.

The wedding ceremony was witnessed by a large number of invited guests, and a royal wedding supper was served, which was enjoyed by all. The contracting parties were the recipients of a large number of useful and valuable presents. They will leave soon for Murray, where they will make their home. The REPUBLICAN joins their many friends in extending congratulations and wish them the full limit of happiness and prosperity.

KENNEDY-TALBOT.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Christmas night, at 8 o'clock, Lieut. H. F. Kennedy and Miss Nannie Talbot, Rev. Geo. R. Boomer officiating.

The bride is the only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Talbot. She is a native of Custer county having been born on the Talbot ranch near Berwyn in 1880. Since 1884 she, with her parents have been residents of Broken Bow. She was a member of the Grading class of the Broken Bow high school in 1897 and enjoys the esteem of a large circle of admiring friends.

The groom is the elder son of

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kennedy of this city and is an industrious young man of excellent business qualifications. He was a member of Co. M of the famous first Nebr. regiment that did such valiant service in the Philippine Islands. He was severely wounded in the battle in which Colonel Stotsenburg was killed, having been shot through the lungs with a musket bullet. From the rank of first sergeant he was promoted to 2nd Lieutenant. He enjoys the respect of a host of friends. The wedding was a quiet affair, there being only two besides the immediate relatives invited.

The guests, who numbered about twenty-five, were served an elegant supper that was very much relished by all the participants. The contracting parties were the recipients of a number of valuable and ornamental presents.

The REPUBLICAN extends to Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy its best wishes and hopes their matrimonial career may be one of perpetual bliss and that prosperity may crown their life's efforts.

COME! FOLLOW THE CROWD
—TO THE—
New Grocery Store
—AT—
THE OLD STAND OF SNYDER BROS., REALTY BLOCK.

We are now open and ready for business with a full and complete line of fresh groceries and fruits.

Mr. J. N. Peale, late of the firm of Peal, John & Bushnell is at the head and he assures his old customers and friends that he will do all he can for their interest and will appreciate a call. Mr. Alvin Burk, better known as "Shorty" is with us and will be pleased to see his old friends.

THE PEALE CASH GROCERY CO.

Mrs. F. H. Young returned the first of last week from New York, where she went in charge of the Nebraska booth for the State Equality Club, of which she is president. Several states were represented at the bazaar held in New York, commencing on the 2d of December, and Nebraska won the credit of having one of the finest exhibits there.